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STATE COMMITTEE MEETS TO...
...TLE PRIMARY QUESTION.

TO ELECT COMMITTEEMAN

Successor to Late Moses Wetmore on
National Committee to Be
Selected.

The Democratic state committee will meet in Kansas City today and attempt to outline a satisfactory method of determining who is to get the state's support for president in the next national convention. Committeeman James Todd and County Chairman A. S. Roney of this city are in attendance. It is thought probable that an early primary will be ordered after the national convention meets in January and fixes the date of the national convention and apportions the delegates to the different states. Some feeling has recently been aroused between the friends of ex-Governor Folk and Speaker Champ Clark, both of whom are being mentioned for the presidential nomination.

The state candidates and county chairmen composing the last state convention who had met to adopt a platform for the campaign also passed a resolution endorsing Governor Folk for the presidency. Mr. Clark was then a candidate for speaker of the national house of representatives. Because of his magnificent record as speaker his friends throughout the country started a boom for him for the presidential nomination. Mr. Clark has practically ignored it, but it has continued to grow until it has become embarrassing to the party politicians.

In order to determine who should have the state delegation, Mr. Folk recently declared in favor of a state primary. Mr. Clark promptly accepted the challenge, declaring the state's endorsement belonged to the people. He asked for a primary in December.

It is understood that Mr. Folk wants a primary limited to the two men, and that Mr. Clark prefers to admit all candidates. As there is no law by which a special primary can be held at state expense, there has been a disposition to fight shy of the proposition. The expenses, estimated at about \$35,000, would have to be borne by the candidates and their friends, and this, together with the fact that a party fight is not welcomed by the party leaders, have had a depressing effect on the proposition.

It is altogether probable that the matter will be deferred until the time comes for the election of the regular delegates, though this may be at an earlier date than usual. Upon second thought many of the conservative friends of both men are disposed to rest upon their oars. Governor Folk's friends point to the fact that he already has an endorsement given him by a convention two years in advance, and Mr. Clark points to the fact that Mr. Cleveland was nominated with his state fighting him and was elected. It is thought that when the campaign is further developed and one is found to have a distinct advantage over the other, either Governor Folk or Mr. Clark will refuse to be further considered in the race.

Another thing the committee will be called upon to do will be to elect a national committeeman to succeed Moses Wetmore, who died some time ago. The leading candidates for the place are Ewing Mitchell of Springfield and Edward F. Goltz of St. Louis.

Mrs. Scribner Beech, Jr., and little daughter accompanied Mrs. Beech's sister, Miss Emma Eaton, to her home, near Barnard, Monday evening for a few days' visit. Miss Eaton had been spending several days with her sisters, Mrs. Beech and Mrs. U. L. Williams.

Cider apples wanted at the Burlington depot, Everhart scales. Twenty whisky barrels for sale at Gabe Allen's. V. E. Davis, at Braniger's store.

MARCELL'S Advertisement

"Look Pleasant Please". It's a worn out expression. Correct Pose is much more essential in the making of successful portraits. Notice our displays and you'll see immediately that proper posing is one of the secrets of our success in modern Portraiture.

F. Ralph Marcell
The Photographer
South Main Street.

POULTRY TRUST SUED.

First Suit Under Sherman Act for Fixing Price of Food Product.

For the first time in the history of litigation under the Sherman antitrust law an action has been brought to recover damages for restraining the sale of food products. A suit has been instituted in New York against the so-called poultry trust for \$225,000. The suit was instituted by the United States Packing company, which had a branch house there, and some weeks ago made an assignment.

In its complaint, the plaintiff states that it buys poultry direct from farmers of Kansas, Missouri and other western states fattens the chickens and ships them to the commission merchants of the cities. This poultry was shipped alive for sale principally to the Kosher or Orthodox Jewish trade.

The combination of receivers, known as the poultry trust, is charged with fixing the price, to such supply houses as the United States Packing company. This price, it is declared, was not regulated by the supply and demand, but by arbitrary rulings of the trust. The members of the trust are accused of making payments to a common fund, which was afterward divided between them, and reporting poultry selling at certain prices when in reality the chickens were bringing much higher prices.

DODGERS TAKE LEAD

In the Normal Basket Ball Tournament.

Standing of Teams.

	P.	W.	L.	Prct
Dodgers	11	7	4	.636
Tigers	10	6	4	.600
Athletics	10	5	5	.500
Giants	10	4	6	.466
Dwarfs	10	3	7	.390

The Dodgers once more crawled into first place by easily beating the Dwarfs Monday night while the Tigers had an off day in the schedule. Captain McGrew of the Dodgers, whose regular position is at guard, distinguished himself as a forward by making four beautiful field goals. This was quite a feat, considering that he was guarded by McClinton. Parman, the Dodgers' sorrel-topped guard, made a long basket, which almost caused him to have heart failure. Dunshee was the shining light of the Dwarfs. The score of the game was 15 to 7. The line-up:

Dodgers—McGrew and Denny, forwards; H. Seymour, center; Parman and Feris, guards.
Dwarfs—Dunshee and Larmer, forwards; McClinton, center; Miller and Breit, guards.
Summary—Field goals, McGrew 4, Denny 4, Seymour 1, Parman 1, Dunshee 2, Larmer 1. Free throws, Seymour 1, Breit 1.

In the second game the Athletics broke the tie for third place by beating the Giants by a score of 21 to 16. The game was featured by loose guarding throughout, and as a result eighteen field goals were made. The game was a very clean one, however, only six fouls being made in the entire contest. The line-up:

Giants—V. Seymour and Taylor, forwards; McDougal, center; Hanna and Shelters, guards.
Athletics—Allen and Strader, forwards; Perrin, center; Cook and Simpson, guards.

Summary—Field goals, Taylor 3, Seymour 5, Allen 4, Perrin 6. Free throws, Perrin 1.

Indications Point to An Oil Supply Near Maryville.

That oil may be discovered on the farm of Albert Carr, three miles south of Maryville, is believed from the fact that there are a number of seepages along the banks of a ravine on his farm. Whether the oil is forced up from a big pool or whether it comes from a shallow sand bed is not known and cannot be determined without sinking a prospect hole, but Mr. Carr is convinced that there is oil under his land.

The farm adjoining was owned several years ago by A. J. Colden, who had come from the oil regions of Pennsylvania, and had also worked in the Virginia fields, and he believed firmly that the indications would warrant an investigation. He urged Mr. Carr to join in the expense and sink a well, but no one shared his enthusiasm and nothing ever came of it. He later sold the place and moved to Oklahoma.

Mr. Carr brought with him to Maryville Monday a cake of mud taken from the creek banks, which seemed to be saturated with oil, and he says there are numerous seams in the banks from which it appears.

It is understood that drilling operations will begin in this county at an early date, and it is said arrangements are now being made for the shipment of tools here.

CITY'S CREDIT GOOD.

Offer of Par for Bonds Bearing Four and a Half Per Cent.

It is already evident that Maryville's water bonds will not be a drug on the market, and that the credit of the city is number one. The board of public works is in receipt of one bid for the bonds at par at 4½ per cent. This is understood to be the best bid so far received, but the board will make no contract until it has secured the best possible proposition for the city. Bonds at 4½ per cent will effect a considerable saving over the 6 per cent issues required of the private companies.

Returned to Texas.

Miss Florence Cox, who has been attending the Maryville high school since September, left Sunday morning for her home in El Paso, Texas. She was accompanied as far as Kansas City by Mr. Roy Nunn of El Paso, who had been her guest for a few days. Mr. Nunn left Kansas City for Vancouver, B. C., to visit his parents. Miss Cox has been making her home with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Black, while attending school, and her sister, Miss Catheren Cox, also a high school student, will remain to finish the course.

DR. FINN



Treats eyes with glasses only. He can give you 5,000 references in Maryville and Nodaway county. Ask your neighbors about Finn's glasses that make weak eyes strong.

W. B. FINN.

SUIT FOR \$20,000 MET DEATH IN FIELD

JAS. GLOVER WANTS DAMAGES FOR ALIENATED AFFECTIONS.

BANKER IS DEFENDANT

David T. Garrett, Former Maryville Business Man, Defendant in Sensational Suit.

A suit of sensational character was filed in the circuit court Tuesday afternoon by James A. Glover of Burlington Junction against David T. Garrett of the same place. The suit is an action for damages to the amount of \$20,000, wherein the defendant is alleged to have alienated the affections of Mrs. Glover from her husband, and to have disturbed the hitherto happy relations existing between Glover and his wife. The petition also alleges improper relations between the defendant and the plaintiff's wife.

The suit will not come up for trial until the February term of court. The plaintiff will be represented by Attorney Jesse F. Robertson of Burlington Junction, and Shinabarger, Blagg & Ellison of this city.

Mr. Glover has for some time been a resident of Burlington Junction, and is said to have been formerly in business at Quiltman. Mr. Garrett is a banker and was for a number of years a resident of Maryville. He once owned the hardware store on the south side of the square. He afterwards became associated with G. A. Pickens under the firm name of Garrett & Pickens, and finally sold out his interest to Pickens & Smith, and removed to Burlington Junction, where he has since been connected with a bank. He is a man of means and has always been regarded as an exemplary citizen.

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Hallowe'en Party at Moore Home.

Miss Doris Sayler, daughter of Judge and Mrs. J. H. Sayler, entertained twenty of her girl friends with a Hallowe'en party. The evening was spent in playing games and piano music by the hostess and several of her guests. The house was decorated in jack-o'-lanterns, and cider punch was served on the arrival of the guests. The guests were Misses Amy Clark, Ollie Godsey, Opal Nicholas, Alma Lucas, Josephine and Odette Wilderman, Mary and Alma Mahoney, Edith Holt, Marion Walker, Ula Strader, Kathleen Wells, Veila Maud Booth, Mary Guinn, Vijuine and Abby Colden, Hazel Smith, Madalyn Strawn, Roine Gray, Lucile Holmes, Greta Kemp, Mary Lewis.

Advanced Seniors Entertained.

The advanced senior class of the high school entertained the beginning seniors and high school faculty with a Hallowe'en party Monday night in the G. A. R. hall. The guests were met by ghosts on the stairway and escorted to the cloak room, where two other ghosts met them and talked to them in ghost language. The ghosts proved to be Miss Mae Grownay, Miss Elta Wood, Wood Forcade, Ernest Yeaman and Fred Hutchinson. Two real witches, Misses Marjory Wilfley and Miss Lucile Carter, conducted them from the cloak room to the hall, lighted only by jack-o'-lanterns that grinned through boughs of autumn leaves, and seated them in rows along the cold white wall. As they sat there four real owls came in and advised them to see the gypsy camp and have their fortunes told them by one who knew it accurately. The witches took them to the camp, a beautiful place, where a beautiful gypsy, Miss Alicia Keeler, told them the things they most wished to hear. After that the frightened ones became used to the spookiness of everything and they drank cider, bit apples from a string and dug more fortunes out of a bucket of ashes. Miss Grace DeMotte, Miss Cathern Cox and Orio Quinn correctly guessed nine of ten questions on superstitions. Miss Cox drew the long straw in the cut for honors and was required to tell a ghost story. Her story was real and ended in a terrible scream that had real echoes for a long time. After other games a menu of frappe, tartar sandwiches, medallions, blanc mange, lamb noisettes, chasseur, nois d'Venere, finnan haddie, salmon mousse and brioche was served. Those present were:

Advanced seniors—Ernest Yeaman, Wood Forcade, Fred Hutchinson, Anna Bannum, Elta Wood, Mae Grownay, Gertrude Mason, Lucile Carter, Marjory Wilfley, Cecile Fisher.

Beginning seniors—Orio Quinn, Ralph Farmer, Horace Gibson, Goodson Lytle, Ova Goff, Elizabeth Cook, Hilda Lahr, Grace DeMotte, Cathern Cox, Eleanor Smith, Dale Hoffman, Glenn Hotchkiss, Hildred Hanna, Viva Cloud, Blanche Welch, Mary Halasy, Gladys Warren.

Intermediate seniors—Sister M. Maura, Katie McCaffery, Kate O'Brien.

Grant township—Effie Richards.

Alice Ballinger, D. L. Swinford.

White Cloud—Leonard Mendenhall, E. E. Woodward, Ruby Key.

Hughes—Ross Miller, Rose Shinabarger, Oliva Ramsey.

Washington—Blanche Rimel, Rose Schiebelbusch, Madison Wilson.

WILL HAVE CHARGE

COMMITTEES APPOINTED TO SUPERVISE THE COMING MEET.

CAMERON GEN. MANAGER

Of Corn Contest—Miss Anthony has Charge of Domestic Science—Township Committees on Spelling

Superintendent Oakerson has completed all arrangements for the big educational and contest meeting this week, and the officers and committees have been given out. The decorating committee will be engaged today and tomorrow in decorating the exhibit rooms, where the corn will be shown, and the Normal auditorium, where the teachers' meetings will be held.

The following officers and committees have been announced:

Secretaries—Principals D. D. Hooper, John Rush and T. W. Cooper.

Resolutions committee—Superintendent C. A. Hawkins, Principals L. L. King, J. W. Campbell and James Decker.

Committee on arranging and placing school exhibits—Misses Dena Hartman, Bess DeArmond, Rose Collins, Katie McCaffrey, Estella Mason, Maude Linville, Chloe Masters, Juanita Hale, Golda Roach, Edith Davenport.

Committees for corn contest: General manager—Prof. John E. Cameron.

Assistant manager—James Farris.

Corn judge—Hon. S. M. Jordan.

General arrangements—Principal C. C. Adams, Prof. Albert Hogan, Mr. Dwight Swinford.

Record books—Mrs. Nellie Dale, Misses Roxie McGinness, Goldie Carmichael, Gretchen Cranor, Messrs. Ret Corrough, Ted Sanders.

Corn judging contest—James Farris, Wilford White, Eugene Larmer, Clarence Jones, J. N. Jones, Misses Ruth Hayme, Harriet VanBuren.

Receiving corn—Misses Clara Neff, Mamie Kane, Cora Gehr, Nora Felix.

Placing corn—Elmer Frank, Theodore Boyer, Vern Gaddy, Ralph Aplanalp.

Listing prizes—Prof. E. L. Harrington, Ross Wynne, Homer Brelt.

Decoration—Harriet Day, Vilma Peery, Nellie Wiley, George Null, D. K. Kennedy, G. B. Holmes, Agie Johnson, Mamie Morris.

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MAY GO TO SUPREME COURT.

The filing of the government's suit against the United States steel corporation and its subsidiary concerns was a bombshell to official Washington, and marks the beginning of President Taft's avowed policy of pushing cases this winter against all concerns now operating in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

Special agents of the department of justice have been gathering evidence to be used in the suit for dissolution during the past three years, and this evidence is supplemented by the findings of the Stanley committee of the house of representatives, which has been conducting an independent investigation.

Following as it does the "defl" of the steel trust officials under the lead of Pierpont Morgan a month or so ago when the rumor was first circulated, a long drawn out legal battle is expected. It may take from three to five years to push the case through the various courts until a final decree is rendered by the United States supreme court, to which tribunal it is announced intention of both parties in the suit, to carry the case, irrespective of the decisions of the lower courts.

The most surprising information connected with the case was the fact that former Secretary of War Dickinson had prepared the brief. It had been stated officially at the department of justice that the investigation of the steel combine was in charge of Solicitor General Lehmann, and although it is a fact that he has done a great share of the work in the preparation of the case, Mr. Lehmann's name does not appear.

The significance of the omission is asserted in some quarters to be that the administration plans to put the solicitor general on the supreme court bench as a successor to the late Justice Harlan, and that under these circumstances his name is not drawn into the steel suit.

Mrs. B. A. Alkire went to Bolckow Monday evening to visit her daughter, Mrs. Eva Davis. She will also visit two other daughters, Mrs. Lowell Campbell and Mrs. Leonard Miller, before her return.

Campbell & Clark commenced work Tuesday morning on re-roofing the South Methodist church building. Cluster pressed standing seam shingles will be used, and nearly three tons of material will be required for the work.

WHAT SAVED
HER LIFE

Mrs. Martin Tells About a Painful Experience that Might Have Ended Seriously.

Riverville, W. Va.—Mrs. Dora Martin, in a letter from Riverville, writes: "For three years, I suffered with wretchedly troubles, and had pains in my back and side. I was nervous and could not sleep at night.

The doctor could not help me. He said I would have to be operated on before I could get better. I thought I would try using Cardui.

Now, I am entirely well.

I am sure Cardui saved my life. I will never be without Cardui in my home. I recommend it to my friends."

For fifty years, Cardui has been removing pain and distress caused by wretchedly trouble. It will surely help you.

It goes to the spot—reaches the trouble—relieves the symptoms, and drives away the cause.

If you suffer from any symptoms of wretchedly trouble, take Cardui.

Your druggist sells and recommends it. Get a bottle from him today.

M. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chas. G. Moore's Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for special information, and 50-cent book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

DEATH MYSTERIES
IN TWO CITIESNew York and Chicago Puzzled Over
Alleged Suicides.

BOTH VICTIMS NEW YORK GIRLS

Young Medical Student Suspected
and Questioned—Hires Lawyer and Refuses to
Talk.

New York, Oct. 31.—The body of Miss Caroline Doctor, daughter of Simon Doctor, a millionaire, was discovered in the shrubbery of a lonely district on Fort Washington Heights. She was stretched at full length, her clothing was carefully arranged and one hand was under her head as if she had just fallen asleep.

A careful search of the shrubbery near the body did not reveal any sign of struggle or evidence that would suggest suicide.

Relatives of Miss Doctor, who was 31 years old, said that she had been in a feverish state of mind since the death of her brother-in-law, Morris H. Hayman, who committed suicide in Newark, N. J., last April, after trouble over a forged note for \$40,000.

There was an unusually strong attachment, it is said, between Mr. Hayman and Miss Doctor. She would not be comforted after his death and as time passed her grief became more violent until she suffered a nervous breakdown. Her affliction over her brother-in-law caused her to waste away and more than a month ago she was sent to a sanitarium.

Chicago, Oct. 31.—Police began investigating many peculiar features which surrounded the death of Miss Ollie Cole, a beautiful girl of 23 years, who came to Chicago but a few months ago from a little country home near Norwich, N. Y.

Miss Cole died in a room which she occupied with Salvatore Monaco, a young medical student and son of Dr. Pasquale Monaco, a wealthy physician.

Monaco told the coroner the girl had died of gas asphyxiation. Then he hired a lawyer.

After the girl's body had been sent to the home of her mother, Mrs. Ervine Cole, near Norwich, N. Y., several witnesses declared that the window was open in the room where Miss Cole was supposed to have inhaled the deadly gas.

Monaco refuses to answer any questions concerning the girl's death or their prior relations. "See my lawyer," is the ever ready reply to all questions.

HIGH SCHOOL CLASS TESTS COWS

Results in Experiments in Chase
County Surprising to the
Farmers.

Cottonwood Falls, Kan., Oct. 31.—The Chase county high school agricultural class is making it easy for farmers and dairymen of this county to ascertain which of the milk cows in their herds are profitable and which are simply "boarders," by testing free of charge all samples of milk and cream which may be sent to the school. So far the tests have varied from 1.3 to 6.1 per cent butter fat and have shown the farmers some surprising results.

Not only will the agricultural class test all samples which may be brought in, but it will go to any schoolhouse or farm in the county and do the work upon the request of the farmers.

Missouri Mine Strike Settled.

Oskaloosa, Ia., Oct. 31.—An impending strike of coal miners in Missouri was averted at a conference of coal operators and officers of the United Mine Workers of North America, headed by John P. White. All differences between the Southwestern Coal Operators' association and the mine workers of Missouri, District No. 25, in regard to the Novinger, Mo., arbitration case were amicably settled.

Pulitzer's Death Leaves Two.

Springfield, Mo., Oct. 31.—With the death of Joseph Pulitzer there are now only two survivors of the Missouri constitutional convention which met in Jefferson City in 1875 and revised the constitution of the state. They are Judge C. B. McAfee of Springfield and Amos R. Taylor of St. Louis.

Stop Football After a Death.

Bozeman, Mont., Oct. 31.—Following the first football fatality in Montana, in which Charles Lange, a freshman at Montana agricultural college lost his life, the game has been discontinued at that institution for this season, at least.

Died on a Train.

St. Joseph, Mo., Oct. 31.—William B. Spencer, 35 years old, of Craig Mo., died on a C. B. & Q. train while being brought to St. Joseph to enter a hospital. He was suffering with typhoid fever.

TOBACCO TRUST
FIGHTS FOR LIFEGreatest Array of Legal Talent Since
Standard Oil Suit.

WICKERSHAM TO BE HEARD LAST

Lewis C. Ledyard Makes Plea for
"Sane and Reasonable" Plan—
Prominent Attorneys
Interested.

New York, Oct. 31.—Lewis Cass Ledyard opened the tobacco trust's second fight for life in the United States circuit court here. Representatives of all the interests affected by the proposed reorganization of the American Tobacco company were on hand at the federal building when court convened.

Judge Lacombe announced that counsel for the American Tobacco company would be heard first, then representatives of outside interests which are interested in reorganization of the company.

Attorney General Wickersham is to be heard in behalf of the government after all the others have been heard.

Mr. Ledyard started off with general argument in favor of a "sane and reasonable" plan of readjustment of the affairs of the trust. His words were followed closely by all in the room, especially by counsel for those factions which are fighting the plan of reorganization as filed by the corporation.

The array of legal talent before the federal court was the greatest gathering of lawyers since the Standard Oil company battled for life before the United States supreme court. Counsel for the American Tobacco company were W. W. Fuller, general counsel, Alton B. Parker, Julius Parker, Delancey Nicoll, William W. Miller, William B. Hornblower and others.

Among those representing the security holders are former Justice Morgan J. O'Brien, Joseph H. Choate and Adrian H. Larkin.

Among the lawyers representing the outside interests are Eugene Clifford of Chicago, representing the International Cigar Makers' union; Adolph Kraus of Chicago, for the Retail Tobacco association, and the Chicago Cigar Leaf Board of Trade; John W. Yerkes for the Independent Tobacco Manufacturers' association; Henry H. Hunter for the Independent Retail Tobacco association and Felix Levy of the National Cigar Leaf Tobacco association.

Associated with Mr. Wickersham for the United States government are James C. McReynolds, who began the prosecution of the tobacco trust, and Edwin P. Grosvenor, special counsel for the government.

AN AMERICAN POPE POSSIBLE

New Appointments Suggest That
Way is Being Paved for
Change in Church.

Rome, Oct. 31.—Comment on the approaching consistory, when 17 cardinals, including three, and possibly four, from the United States will be created, continue to emphasize the great significance of Pope Pius' decision to grant immediately to America four representatives in the sacred College. By some it is asserted that the way is being paved for the advent of an American pope.

It is pointed out that the largest body of Catholics outside of Europe is to be found in the United States and its possessions. An Irish-American pope is suggested for the day when it shall be considered no longer necessary for the papacy to be held by an Italian.

See Their First Motion Pictures.

Louisville, Oct. 31.—Mountain folk of eastern Kentucky are riding many miles over rough mountain roads for a look at moving pictures thrown on screens set up in schoolhouses in the interest of Judge E. C. O'Rear, a candidate for governor. For many of them these are the first "moving picture shows."

Nebraska Train Wreck.

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 31.—Eastbound Rock Island passenger No. 354 was wrecked near here. Two coaches jumped the track and were buried in the roadbed up to the axles before the train was stopped. No one was injured. Spreading rails caused the accident.

More Delay in Bribe Case.

St. Louis, Oct. 31.—The case of Ellis Wainwright, the millionaire brewer, who six months ago came back from Paris to answer an indictment charging bribery returned ten years ago, was postponed again until November 6. Only one witness for the case was called.

Marriages Are Void.

Oklahoma City, Ok., Oct. 31.—Marriages licenses of which there were about 100 issued in Swanson county since the court declared the county defunct, are now all found to be void. Many of the newlyweds are obtaining new licenses from the other counties.

EVERYBODY ATTENDING THE
Domestic Science and Corn ContestThursday, Friday and Saturday,
November 2d, 3d and 4th

Will find a hearty welcome here, and you are requested to make our store your headquarters while in the city, and the ladies are cordially asked to take advantage of our thoroughly equipped rest room where you will find every convenience for your comfort.

We are going to make prices TALK during these three days. Here are a few items just merely as a sample. Come in and see and be convinced:

Notions, Etc.

Hair Nets, plain or elastic, sale price, 6 for
1/2 dozen 2-oz bottles Sanford's Ink, sale price
Hair Pin Cabinets, sale price
Toilet Pins, sale price, 6 for
Perfume, all flavors, sale price, per box
Good Toilet Soap, sale price, 6 for
Extra fine Toilet Soap, sale price, 3 for
Liquid Shoe Polish, sale price
Paste for Shoes, sale price, 3 for 25c

We carry a large and complete line of Notions.

Stationery and
School Supplies

1/2 dozen 2-oz bottles Sanford's Ink, sale price
Regular 5c Drinking Glasses, sale price, 6 for
Horseshoe Hand Glasses, sale price, 6 for
1 dozen Good Soft Lead Pencils, sale price
1 dozen extra good Lead Pencils, sale price
1/2 dozen Rubber or Cork Tipped Pen Holders, sale price
Laundry Soap, Cracker Jack, sale price, 12 bars
1/2 dozen Bradley Water Colors, sale price
1-6 dozen School Crayons, sale price
1/2 dozen Felt Bound Slates, 6-9, sale price
1/2 dozen Composition Books, your choice

Glassware

Iridescent Ware, per piece, sale price
Regular 5c Drinking Glasses, sale price, 6 for
Horseshoe Hand Glasses, sale price, 6 for
7-piece Water Set, sale price
7-piece Water Set, sale price
Large Glass Vases, sale price
You should see our large and complete line of Glassware to know the beauty of it.

**Graniteware
and Tinware**

3-quart Granite Pudding Pan, sale price
3-quart Granite Dairy Pan, sale price
3-quart Granite Lipped Preserves Kettle, sale price
2-quart Tin Cups, sale price
1-pint Tin Cups, sale price, 3 for
2-quart Granite Coffee Pot, sale price
Helen's Babies
St. Elmo
Hans Brinker
Oliver Optic Series
Prudy Series for Girls
These are all cloth bound books. Come in and look them over.
Thanksgiving Post Cards, sale price, per dozen
Our Granite and Tinware Department is full of bargains.

Remember We Give Coupons on the Automobile and Piano

Hotchkin's Variety Store

106 South Main St.

HOPKINS STORE ROBBED.

Blind Boone Company Here.

Blind Boone and his concert company arrived in Maryville Tuesday noon from St. Joseph, where he has just closed a series of six concerts in that city that were attended by thousands. He is in fine health and appears considerably larger than when he gave his last concert at the First Christian church in this city some years ago. He weighs 257 pounds.

Blind Boone will appear at the Christian church Tuesday night in one of his remarkable programs, assisted by contralto and mezzo-soprano soloists. His wonderful performance never grows old with the public. He and his company are being entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Palmer, 705 North Fillmore street.

Left for Oklahoma.

Robert Saunders of Kingfisher, Okla., who has been the guest of his brother, James H. Saunders, and his niece, Mrs. G. L. Wilfley, for several days, left for his home Tuesday morning. He was accompanied as far as St. Joseph by Mrs. Wilfley, who spent the day in that city.

Returned From Illinois.

Mrs. J. M. Hughes returned Tuesday morning from a six weeks' visit at Payson and Blandinsville, Ill. She visited her son, Rev. J. R. Hughes, pastor of the Christian church at Blandinsville, and her sister at Blandinsville.

Mrs. J. W. Smith, living west of Maryville, and her sister, Mrs. S. J. Carver of Elmo, returned Tuesday morning from a few days' visit near Hopkins with their brother, C. F. Abbey, and his family.

CATARRH OF STOMACH.

If you went to thirty doctors and paid each his fee for a prescription for indigestion or stomach misery it is ten chances to one you wouldn't get such a good prescription as the one from which Mi-o-na stomach tablets are made.

How can such a thing be? you naturally ask.

Simply because the man who wrote the prescription from which Mi-o-na tablets are made knows more about stomach diseases than 96 per cent of all the physicians in America, and he gets paid for knowing.

And when you can get a large box of tablets made from this doctor's prescription for only 50 cents, are you going to continue to suffer? Sold by the Oscar-Henry Drug Co. and druggists everywhere.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

To Look After Brother's Estate.

Anderson Craig left Monday night on a ten days' business trip to Monticello and Hamburg, Ark., and to Greenville, Miss., to look after the estate of his brother, a well known physician in Arkansas, who died recently. Mr. Craig was appointed administrator. Mrs. Craig will visit their daughter, Mrs. C. H. Coe of Tarkio, during his absence.

Will Visit His Ranch.

Alderman Dry Goods Co.
114-116-118 WEST THIRD STREET MARYVILLE MO.

A Sale of Odd Lots of Wall Paper

We are closing out all odd lots and short lots of wall paper, left from the season's selling, at decided reductions. The assortment includes nearly every variety and quality we carry in stock.

The prices are much lower than usual.
(Basement)

New Wall Paper Just Received

We are fortunate in securing an early showing of wall paper in 1912 patterns. They have just arrived from the mills and are now on display in the basement.

The designs are new and are worked up in very harmonious colorings. Priced from

5c to 15c roll.

Attended Uncle's Funeral.

Mrs. E. J. Garrett of St. Joseph came to Maryville Sunday night to attend the funeral services of her late uncle, John McFadden, held Monday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Woodard.

FRESH OYSTERS

Direct from the coast. They are large enough to fry, and don't you know a New York Oyster is lighter in color and a finer flavor than Baltimore stock. They come to us in five-gallon cans SEALED. No ice ever put in the Oysters. Compare our Oysters with others and you can see the difference. We sell the solid meat. NO WATER. A trial will convince you we are right on the Oyster question.

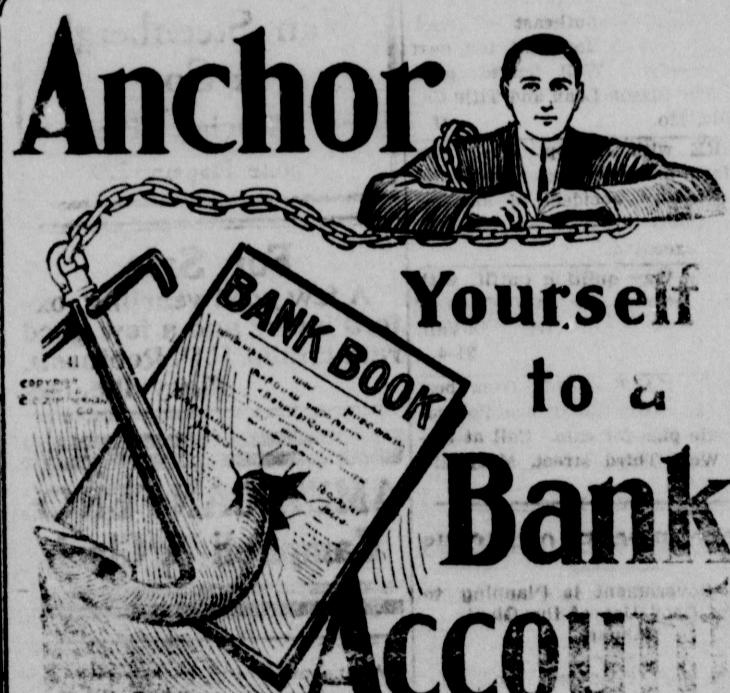
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CIDER MILL

Run every day except Monday and Thursday.

Apples Wanted.

O. A. BENNETT



A STEADY purpose in this life is one of the best aids to success. If that purpose be the resolve to save money your success will be sure and satisfactory.

A young man should anchor himself to a bank account as the first step to success. As his account grows so will his confidence in himself to make good.

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

CAPITAL SURPLUS

\$100,000.00
\$22,000.00

FEDERAL CONTROL OF THE RAILROADS

Supreme Court Decision Favors Commerce Commission.

COMMISSIONERS ARE JUBILANT

Conflict of Authority Between State and Federal Officers Eliminated—Decision is Far Reaching and Important.

Washington, Oct. 31.—Complete control of all the railroads of the country by the interstate commerce commission, and virtual elimination of the state commissions from such control, is foreshadowed in an opinion handed down by the supreme court of the United States. The court held that hereafter all locomotives, cars or other equipment used on any railroad which is a highway of interstate commerce, must comply with the federal safety appliance act.

In its opinion the court held that compliance with federal law is compulsory on all railroads which are engaged in the transportation of persons or freight from one state to another. Elaborating this, however, it held that the cars or equipment of such roads, even if engaged in such transportation within the confines of a state, must be considered as part and parcel of the road and therefore, completely under the jurisdiction of the federal commission.

Members of the interstate commerce commission, who have been embarrassed on numerous occasions by clashes of authority with state commissions, are jubilant at the ruling of the supreme court which was unanimous.

The decision of the court generally is regarded as of far reaching significance and importance. It will enable the commission hereafter to enforce, practically without question, its orders based upon that law.

Those who casually examined the opinion were divided as to its bearing on the litigation as to whether a state may regulate freight and passenger rates on interstate traffic when such regulation interferes, or might interfere, with interstate commerce. The supreme court is to consider the question next January when it hears the so-called Minnesota and Kentucky rate cases. It is the best judgment of those conversant with the situation, however, that this decision has little, if any, bearing upon the rate cases.

More or less friction has arisen between the interstate commerce commissions, which has rendered it embarrassing to the federal body in its work of interstate regulation.

Let the Nation Buy Trusts.

Milwaukee, Oct. 31.—Congressman Victor L. Berger will introduce a bill in the next session of congress to repeal the Sherman anti-trust act. He would substitute a law providing that wherever pool, a combine or a trust controls more than 60 per cent of the total output in any industry, the government shall take the concern over, pay the actual value in bonds and manage the business for the benefit of all the people.

A Tribute to Carry Nation.

Milwaukee, Oct. 31.—Every woman attending the National W. C. T. U. convention bowed her head in respect to the memory of Carry Nation when the name of the famous saloon smasher was read at the memorial service incident to the convention. Sixteen memorial subscriptions of \$25 each were added to the organization fund to perpetuate the work of Miss Frances E. Willard.

Girls Shine Shoes for Piano.

Princeton, Mo., Oct. 31.—Miss Myrtle Fair, a student of the Princeton high school, made \$17 shining shoes on the streets here. Misses Gay Wilson and Coral Matsler made nearly as much at the same occupation. They were trying to make enough money to buy a piano for the school. The eighty students made almost \$200 by the day's work.

Shot Deserting Husband.

Davenport, Ia., Oct. 31.—Frank Kilduff was shot and killed by his wife here. Mrs. Kilduff, whose husband is said to have deserted her, went to his place of business and asked him if he intended to support their child. He answered in the negative, whereupon she drew a revolver and shot him. She walked to the police station and gave herself up.

Georgia Peaches in Bloom.

Americus, Ga., Oct. 31.—Thousands of peach trees in this section are in bloom and a failure of next year's peach crop is feared. The warm weather of last week has made the whole landscape look like a gigantic flower garden.

A Wichita Kafir Corn Show.

Wichita, Kan., Oct. 31.—Encouraged by the success of the Kafir corn carnival which was held in Eldorado recently, the Wichita Stock Yards company has determined to get in line and hold a like exhibition at the stock yards next fall.

MISSOURI INTO OREGON CASE

INVOLVES THE INITIATIVE AND REFERENDUM LAW.

Attorney General Allowed to File Brief in Federal Court Because of Similarity of Statutes.

Washington, Oct. 31.—Attorney General Major of Missouri took a hand in the case before the United States supreme court involving the constitutionality of the initiative and referendum law of the state of Oregon. Mr. Major filed a brief in behalf of the state of Missouri, being permitted to do so because Missouri has a law identical with Oregon's.

The case in which appeal was taken is that of the Pacific State Telegraph and Telephone company. The supreme court of Oregon upheld the statute enacted by referendum, which assesses an annual tax of 2 per cent of the gross receipts against the telegraph and telephone company.

The appeal rests mainly on the argument that a system involving the initiative and referendum is not a representative system of government. A decision by the supreme court affirming the position of the telegraph and telephone company would knock out "popular government" wherever its measures have been adopted in the United States.

It is contended in the Missouri official's brief that congress alone determines what government is the established government in a state, and that congress alone may say whether that government is republican in form. Also that whether the state statute violates the state constitution is not a federal question.

MANY HOGS DYING OF CHOLERA

Kansas, Missouri and Iowa Animals Principal Victims—Serum Output Increased.

Columbia, Mo., Oct. 31.—Hog cholera has never been as prevalent in the Middle West, particularly Kansas, Missouri and Iowa, as it is now, according to Dean F. B. Mumford of the Missouri college of agriculture. The college of agriculture has men out in every part of the state inoculating hogs and is sending out serum at the rate of 20,000 doses a month.

The facilities for making the serum have been increased since the epidemic started, but is impossible to supply the demand. In most cases the farmers use the serum themselves, and where they were unacquainted with its use a farmer comes to the college and receives instruction from the experts here. When he returns home he not only inoculates his own hogs but also those of his neighbors.

STUDENTS START NEW MAGAZINE

All Members of Staff Students in School of Journalism at M. S. U.

Columbia, Mo., Oct. 31.—Varsity Life is the name of the new publication, which will be issued from the University of Missouri monthly. The purpose, according to the first issue, is "to bring attention of the students to the various phases of college life that have a funny side to them, and as there is very little that ever happens that hasn't a funny side, our field is practically unlimited."

With one exception all the members of the staff are students in the school of journalism. The publication is similar in character to the humorous magazines of Eastern schools. The cartoons are by Robt. A. Ball of Kansas City.

Millionaire Tramp Arrested.

Troy, Mo., Oct. 31.—J. Eads Howe, the millionaire hobo-philanthropist, was detained here by Postoffice Inspector J. D. Sullivan of St. Louis. Howe had attempted to sell stamps to two hotel keepers, the jailer and several merchants, all of whom notified Sullivan to watch for him. Inspector Sullivan questioned Howe. He produced letters of identification and \$1.25 worth of stamps. Howe, who is head of the Brotherhood Welfare association, is touring Missouri, obtaining signatures to a petition to be presented to Gov. Hadley asking that the unemployed be put to work on public improvements this winter.

Prohibition Candidate Speaks.

Olathe, Kan., Oct. 31.—Dr. N. F. King of Ottawa, candidate on the prohibition ticket for representative of the Second Kansas district, spoke here and at Springfield. Dr. King was accompanied by E. W. Chapin and John P. St. John, both of whom have been candidates for president on the prohibition party platform.

College Girl Killed.

Cameron, Mo., Oct. 31.—While on her way to attend an Epworth league meeting, Miss Nora Ellen Dodge of Darlington, Mo., was struck by a Burlington freight train here and almost instantly killed. Her companion Miss Irene Sheldon, was seriously hurt.

Catskill Forests Burning.

Catskill, N. Y., Oct. 31.—The woods on the mountain side near here, where, legend says, Rip Van Winkle took his 20-year nap, are ablaze. Many acres have been burned over.

MILD, GENTLE LAXATIVE FOR WOMEN GIVEN FREE

So many of the ills of women are due to habitual constipation, probably because of their false modesty on the subject, that their attention cannot be too strongly called to the importance of keeping the bowels open. It is always important to do that, regardless of the sex, but it is especially important in women.

From the time the girl begins to menstruate until menstruation ceases she has always vastly better prospects of coming through healthy if she watches her bowel movements. If you find yourself constipated, with bad breath, pimply complexion, headaches, belching gas and other symptoms of indigestion and constipation, take a small dose of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup

Pepsin. It is woman's favorite laxative. You will find that you can do away with salts, strong cathartics, etc., which are entirely unsuited to woman's requirements.

Mrs. Katherine Haberstroh of Meeke's Rocks, Pa., and Mrs. A. E. Herkirk of Wheeler, Mich., who was almost paralyzed in her stomach and bones, are now cured by the use of this remedy. A free sample bottle can be obtained by addressing Dr. Caldwell, and after you are convinced of its merits buy it of your druggist at fifty cents and one dollar a bottle.

For the free sample address Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 541 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.

BARLER OIL HEATERS

Give out more heat than any heater on the market. Our stock ranges in price from \$4.50 to \$7.00. We are exclusive dealers in Maryville and fully guarantee every stove.

CAMPBELL & CLARK

CLOSING OUT SALE

I will sell at the Tate farm, six miles southeast of Maryville and 1 mile east of Mt. Ayr church, on

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1911

The following property: 3 HORSES, good workers, from 7 to 9 years old. 10 HEAD OF CATTLE—4 extra good milch cows, to freshen in the spring; 2 yearling heifers, 4 spring calves. 800 bushels of corn, 9 acres of cane hay in the shock, 120 acres of stalk fields. IMPLEMENTS, ETC.—Wagon (nearly new), plow, harrow, cultivator, lister and drill, road wagon, mower, rake, in fact a general line of farming implements, in fine condition. Some household and kitchen furniture.

TERMS—\$10 and under cash; cover that amount a credit of 6 months' time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

Mrs. R. M. McMullen

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer. George B. Baker, Clerk.

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The pure fruit drink. Best in the world.

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MARYVILLE, MISSOURI.

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Liquors,

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Mail Orders Given Prompt Attention

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THE BEER OF QUALITY

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The Fighting Hope

Novelized by
VIRGINIA LEILA WENTZ
From the Play by
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(Continued from last Saturday.)

SYNOPSIS

Anna Granger, devoted mother of two small children, discovers that her husband is a weak character and that he has lied to her about a woman.

Posing as Miss Dale, she becomes stenographer to Burton Temple, through whose evidence her husband has been imprisoned. She thinks Temple is the guilty man and is acting the spy to clear her husband's name for his sake and that of her children.

Anna discovers that Temple was one of her girlhood's ideals. Thinking her a simple woman, he tells her her husband was a liar and perjurer.

Temple has detectives on the trail of Brady, an accomplice of Granger, looking for evidence. Anna is searching for evidence against Temple, who becomes interested in her.

Despite herself, Anna becomes fond of Temple, although determined to convict him for the honor of her boys. Temple's detectives discover Rose Fanchon, the woman for whom Granger was a thief.

CHAPTER VI.

DUTY AND DESIRE.

ANNA GRANGER, I'm ashamed of you, ashamed! I could tell you what the trouble is. Oh, it's a degenerate age! Duty and desire messed up till you don't know which is which. You can shun them to suit your conscience—if by reason of a few decent ancestors a person happens to have a conscience! Don't you think I've seen this thing coming. Anna? Don't you think I've been deplored the situation, doing my best to straighten it out? Why have I been harping on the children, the children, the children? Because I saw they were the only stronghold you had left to fall back upon; because I saw you were already forgetting your poor martyr husband. Oh, I've seen this man's eyes following you with the look that can only mean one thing! I've seen—

"Mrs. Mason, it isn't true, it isn't true!" Anna recoiled in horror. "Is it kind, is it bearable that you should say such things to me? I have not deserved them. No, no, I have not! What right have you? I can't protect myself, I can't escape you. But—Her voice shook. There was in it a passion of anger, pain, isolation and yet something else, the note of something newborn and transforming.

"What right?" repeated Mrs. Mason in sharp tones of astonishment. "The right of duty, the right of one honest woman speaking to another whom she wishes to keep honest."

The stern old Puritan housekeeper had made Robert Granger stand for a leading principle. She was a woman of little individuality, quite far away from her own generation. For the most part she acted on cut and dried principles; even her impulses were automatic impulses, dating back to her foremothers. She had been brought up with the view that all behavior was right or wrong, correct or incorrect, as if it were not much else beside these, as if between black and white there were not many colors, all the colors of the spectrum, in fact.

And so to the bowed young woman before her she continued with her oracular mottoes on right living and sure results, plain, one-sided duty. Anna was vaguely conscious that Sir Oracle was still in among the living. She heard no particular word, just the patterning murmur of word upon word ponderously delivered.

"A letter for you, sir, brought by messenger," said the butler, presenting an envelope to Burton Temple.

"From the detective bureau," commented he, tearing it open. And Craven

had spent large sums of money, dating from time party is supposed to have received funds. Her name is Rose Fanchon. Party spent a good deal of money on her, but large part invested in New York Central. Securities held in party's own name, but the dividend order makes the dividend payable to the woman. Are preparing other evidence and expect to have something of greater importance soon. Hoping our work has been satisfactory and that we shall speedily be in a position to give you everything you desire, very truly, etc.," rattled off Temple.

"You know," commented Craven, rubbing his lean jaw with appreciation, "I'm beginning to like that fellow Granger. Slick pup—\$80,000 in New York Central and the dividend only to Rosalie! Kept a big, stout rope on his benefaction, didn't he?"

"Looks good, eh?" said Temple cheerfully, tapping the letter.

"Looks good, yes, but you've got to have something that does more than look good, old man. You've got to have a knockout piece of evidence. Brady's going to go on the stand and perjure himself; see if he doesn't."

"He'd perjure somebody else if he could invent the crime," agreed Temple.

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TO DECIDE ISSUE

STATE COMMITTEE MEETS TO...
TITTLE PRIMARY QUESTION.

TO ELECT COMMITTEEMAN

Successor to Late Moses Wetmore on
National Committee to Be
Selected.

The Democratic state committee will meet in Kansas City today and attempt to outline a satisfactory method of determining who is to get the state's support for president in the next national convention. Committeeman James Todd and County Chairman A. S. Rohey of this city are in attendance. It is thought probable that an early primary will be ordered after the national convention meets in January and fixes the date of the national convention and apportions the delegates to the different states. Some feeling has recently been aroused between the friends of ex-Governor Folk and Speaker Champ Clark, both of whom are being mentioned for the presidential nomination.

The state candidates and county chairmen composing the last state convention who had met to adopt a platform for the campaign also passed a resolution endorsing Governor Folk for the presidency. Mr. Clark was then a candidate for speaker of the national house of representatives. Because of his magnificent record as speaker his friends throughout the country started a boom for him for the presidential nomination. Mr. Clark has practically ignored it, but it has continued to grow until it has become embarrassing to the party politicians.

In order to determine who should have the state delegation, Mr. Folk recently declared in favor of a state primary. Mr. Clark promptly accepted the challenge, declaring the state's endorsement belonged to the people. He asked for a primary in December.

It is understood that Mr. Folk wants a primary limited to the two men, and that Mr. Clark prefers to admit all candidates. As there is no law by which a special primary can be held at state expense, there has been a disposition to fight shy of the proposition. The expenses, estimated at about \$35,000, would have to be borne by the candidates and their friends, and this, together with the fact that a party fight is not welcomed by the party leaders, have had a depressing effect on the proposition.

It is altogether probable that the matter will be deferred until the time comes for the election of the regular delegates, though this may be at an earlier date than usual. Upon second thought many of the conservative friends of both men are disposed to rest upon their oars. Governor Folk's friends point to the fact that he already has an endorsement given him by a convention two years in advance, and Mr. Clark points to the fact that Mr. Cleveland was nominated with his state fighting him and was elected. It is thought that when the campaign is further developed and one is found to have a distinct advantage over the other, either Governor Folk or Mr. Clark will refuse to be further considered in the race.

Another thing the committee will be called upon to do will be to elect a national committeeman to succeed Moses Wetmore, who died some time ago. The leading candidates for the place are Ewing Mitchell of Springfield and Edward F. Goltz of St. Louis.

Mrs. Scribner Beech, Jr., and little daughter accompanied Mrs. Beech's sister, Miss Emma Eaton, to her home, near Barnard, Monday evening for a few days' visit. Miss Eaton had been spending several days with her sisters, Mrs. Beech and Mrs. U. L. Williamson.

Cider apples wanted at the Burlington depot, Everhart scales. Twenty whisky barrels for sale at Gabe Alten's. V. E. Davis, at Braniger's store.

MARCELL'S Advertisement

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POULTRY TRUST SUED.

First Suit Under Sherman Act for
Fixing Price of Food Product.

For the first time in the history of litigation under the Sherman antitrust law an action has been brought to recover damages for restraining the sale of food products. A suit has been instituted in New York against the so-called poultry trust for \$25,000. The suit was instituted by the United States Packing company, which had a branch house there, and some weeks ago made an assignment.

In its complaint, the plaintiff states that it buys poultry direct from farmers of Kansas, Missouri and other western states fattens the chickens and ships them to the commission merchants of the cities. This poultry was shipped alive for sale principally to the Kosher or Orthodox Jewish trade.

The combination of receivers, known as the poultry trust, is charged with fixing the price, to such supply houses as the United States Packing company. This price, it is declared, was not regulated by the supply and demand, but by arbitrary rulings of the trust. The members of the trust are accused of making payments to a common fund, which was afterward divided between them, and reporting poultry selling at certain prices when in reality the chickens were bringing much higher prices.

DODGERS TAKE LEAD

In the Normal Basket Ball Tournamen.

Standing of Teams.

	P.	W.	L.	Prct
Dodgers	11	7	4	.636
Tigers	10	6	4	.600
Athletics	10	5	5	.500
Giants	10	4	6	.460
Dwarfs	10	3	7	.300

The Dodgers once more crowded into first place by easily beating the Dwarfs Monday night while the Tigers had an off day in the schedule. Captain McGrew of the Dodgers, whose regular position is at guard, distinguished himself as a forward by making four beautiful field goals. This was quite a feat, considering that he was guarded by McClellan. Parman, the Dodgers' sorrel-topped guard, made a long basket, which almost caused him to have heart failure. Dunshee was the shining light of the Dwarfs. The score of the game was 15 to 7. The line-up:

Dodgers—McGrew and Denny, forwards; H. Seymour, center; Parman and Feris, guards.

Dwarfs—Dunshee and Larmer, forwards; McClinton, center; Miller and Breit, guards.

Summary—Field goals, McGrew 4, Denny 4, Seymour 1, Parman 1, Dunshee 2, Larmer 1. Free throws, Seymour 1, Breit 1.

In the second game the Athletics broke the tie for third place by beating the Giants by a score of 21 to 16. The game was featured by loose guarding throughout, and as a result eighteen field goals were made. The game was a very clean one, however, only six fouls being made in the entire contest. The line-up:

Giants—V. Seymour and Taylor, forwards; McDougal, center; Hanna and Shelters, guards.

Athletics—Allen and Strader, forwards; Perrin, center; Cook and Simpson, guards.

Summary—Field goals, Taylor 3, Seymour 5, Allen 4, Perrin 6. Free throws, Perrin 1.

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SUIT FOR \$20,000

JAS. GLOVER WANTS DAMAGES FOR ALIENATED AFFECTIONS.

BANKER IS DEFENDANT

David T. Garrett, Former Maryville Business Man, Defendant in Sensational Suit.

A suit of sensational character was filed in the circuit court Tuesday afternoon by James A. Glover of Burlington Junction against David T. Garrett of the same place. The suit is an action for damages to the amount of \$20,000, wherein the defendant is alleged to have alienated the affections of Mrs. Glover from her husband, and to have disturbed the hitherto happy relations existing between Grover and his wife. The petition also alleges improper relations between the defendant and the plaintiff's wife.

The suit will not come up for trial until the February term of court. The plaintiff will be represented by Attorney Jesse F. Robertson of Burlington Junction, and Shinabarger, Blagg & Ellison of this city.

Mr. Glover has for some time been a resident of Burlington Junction, and is said to have been formerly in business at Quitman. Mr. Garrett is a banker and was for a number of years a resident of Maryville. He once owned the hardware store on the south side of the square. He afterwards became associated with G. A. Pickens under the firm name of Garrett & Pickens, and finally sold out his interest to Pickens & Smith, and removed to Burlington Junction, where he has since been connected with a bank. He is a man of means and has always been regarded as an exemplary citizen.

OIL ON CARR FARM.

Indications Point to An Oil Supply Near Maryville.

That oil may be discovered on the farm of Albert Carr, three miles south of Maryville, is believed from the fact that there are a number of seepages along the banks of a ravine on his farm. Whether the oil is forced up from a big pool or whether it comes from a shallow sand bed is not known and cannot be determined without sinking a prospect hole, but Mr. Carr is convinced that there is oil under his land.

The farm adjoining was owned several years ago by A. J. Corden, who had come from the oil regions of Pennsylvania, and had also worked in the Virginia fields, and he believed firmly that the indications would warrant an investigation.

He urged Mr. Carr to join in the expense and sink a well, but no one shared his enthusiasm and nothing ever came of it. He later sold the place and moved to Oklahoma.

Mr. Carr brought with him to Maryville Monday a cake of mud taken from the creek banks, which seemed to be saturated with oil, and he says there are numerous seepings in the banks from which it appears.

It is understood that drilling operations will begin in this county at an early date, and it is said arrangements are now being made for the shipment of tools here.

CITY'S CREDIT GOOD.

Offer of Par for Bonds Bearing Four and a Half Per Cent.

It is already evident that Maryville's water bonds will not be a drug on the market, and that the credit of the city is number one. The board of public works is in receipt of one bid for the bonds at par at 4½ per cent. This is understood to be the best bid so far received, but the board will make no contract until it has secured the best possible proposition for the city. Bonds at 4½ per cent will effect a considerable saving over the 6 per cent issues required of the private companies.

Returned to Texas.

Miss Florence Cox, who has been attending the Maryville high school since September, left Sunday morning for her home in El Paso, Texas. She was accompanied as far as Kansas City by Mr. Roy Nunn of El Paso, who had been her guest for a few days. Mr. Nunn left Kansas City for Vancouver, B. C., to visit his parents. Miss Cox has been making her home with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Black, while attending school, and her sister, Miss Cathern Cox, also a high school student, will remain to finish the course.

MET DEATH IN FIELD

MARION RENFRO, HOPKINS FARMER, VICTIM OF ACCIDENT.

HIS HEAD WAS CRUSHED

Driving Team to Stump Puller, Sweep Struck and Knocked Him Down, Fracturing Skull.

Marion Renfro, a well known citizen, living three miles north of Hopkins, was killed today while operating a stump puller. He and his son, Jesse Renfro, were engaged in pulling stumps. The elder man was driving the horse, when shortly before noon a clevis broke, allowing the sweep to fly back and strike him in the abdomen with terrific force. He was hurled a distance of twenty feet.

Drs. Kirk and Lange of Hopkins were immediately called, but the unfortunate man was fatally injured and died at half-past two o'clock. He was about sixty years of age, in comfortable circumstances and leaves a family of eight children, four or five of whom are still at home.

He was born and reared in Green township, in this county, and moved to Parnell about twenty-five years ago. For the past fifteen years he has lived near Hopkins. He married Miss Mary Laswell, and eleven children were born to them.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Hallowe'en Social at the Normal.

An executive committee that rivals that of the big Maryville street fair, so far as energy is concerned, will entertain the students and faculty of the Normal Tuesday night at the Normal building with a farcical street fair. The fair will be followed by a bonfire and marshmallow toast on the Normal campus.

For Son and Bride.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carmichael, living ten miles northwest of Maryville, gave a 6 o'clock dinner Friday evening in honor of their son and his bride, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Carmichael, who had just returned from their wedding trip. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Everett Carmichael, Mr. Ora Carmichael, Miss Josephine Murphy and Miss Maude Carmichael.

Hallowe'en Party.

Miss Doris Sayler, daughter of Judge and Mrs. J. H. Sayler, entertained twenty of her girl friends with a Hallowe'en party. The evening was spent in playing games and piano music by the hostess and several of her guests. The house was decorated in jack-o'-lanterns, and cider punch was served on the arrival of the guests. The guests were Misses Amy Clark, Ollie Godsey, Opal Nicholas, Alma Lucas, Josephine and Odette Wilderman, Mary and Alma Mahoney, Edith Holt, Marion Walker, Ula Strader, Kathleen Wells, Vella Maud Booth, Mary Guinn, Vijuine and Abby Colden, Hazel Smith, Madalyn Strawn, Roine Gray, Lucile Holmes, Greta Kemp, Mary Lewis.

Hallowe'en Party at Moore Home.

Miss Doris Sayler, daughter of Judge and Mrs. J. H. Sayler, entertained twenty of her girl friends Saturday night at the home of Miss Moore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Moore, 1105 South Main street. Miss Moore received the guests and directed them to her own room upstairs, where Miss DeMotte greeted them. Cider punch was then served in the east room by Miss Lois Farmer. On returning to the parlors games were played, fortunes were told, and just before luncheon all "bobbed" for apples in a tub of water. The place cards informed each guest that her true fortune could be found some place in the house, but that she must diligently seek for it. So after luncheon the house was scoured from cellar to garret, and each was rewarded and is now in possession of her future prospects.

The house was appropriately decorated, and during the festivities things became so much spookier than even the hostesses had planned that the only big brave brothers of the crowd, three in number, had to be summoned to take them home, and it was 2 o'clock in the morning. The guests were Miss Eunice Coler, Carrie Coler, Grace DeMotte, Elizabeth Cook, Hilda Lahr, Grace Ashby, Cathern Cox, Eleanor Smith, Dale Hoffman, Glenn Hotchkiss, Hildred Hanna, Viva Cloud, Blanche Welch, Mary Halasy, Gladys Warren.

SAYS IT WILL BE CLARK.

C. E. Schoff, a salesman representing a wholesale paper house, who travels over several states, while in Maryville Tuesday gave it as his opinion that Speaker Champ Clark has the best chance for the Democratic presidential nomination of any of those yet mentioned.

WILL HAVE CHARGE

COMMITTEES APPOINTED TO SUPERVISE THE COMING MEET.

CAMERON GEN. MANAGER

OF CORN CONTEST—Miss Anthony Bas
Charge of Domestic Science—
Township Committees on Spelling

Superintendent Oakerson has completed all arrangements for the big educational and contest meeting this week, and the officers and committees have been given out. The decorating committee will be engaged today and tomorrow in decorating the exhibit rooms, where the corn will be shown, and the Normal auditorium, where the teachers' meetings will be held.

The following officers and committees have been announced:

Secretaries—Principals D. D. Hooper, John Rush and T. W. Cooper.

Resolutions committee—Superintendent C. A. Hawkins, Principals L. L. King, J. W. Campbell and James Decker.

Committee on arranging and placing school exhibits—Misses Dena Hartman, Bess DeArmond, Rose Colins, Katie McCaffrey, Estella Mason, Maude Linville, Chloe Masters, Juanita Hale, Golda Roach, Edith Davenport. Committees for corn contest:

General manager—Prof. John E. Cameron.

Assistant manager—James Farris.

Corn judge—Hon. S. M. Jordan.

General arrangements—Principal C. C. Adams, Prof. Albert Hogan, Mr. Dwight Swinford.

Record books—Mrs. Nellie Dale, Misses Roxie McGinness, Goldie Carmichael, Gretchen Cranor, Messrs. Bert Corrough, Ted Sanders.

Corn judging contest—James Farris, Wilford White, Eugene Larmer, Clarence Jones, J. N. Jones, Misses Ruth Hamay, Harriet VanBuren.

Receiving corn—Misses Clara Neff, Mamie Kane, Cora Gehr, Nora Felix.

Placing corn—Elmer Frank, Theodore Boyer, Vern Gaddy, Ralph Aplanalp.

Listing prizes—Prof. E. L. Harrington, Ross Wynne, Homer Breit.

Decoration—Harriet Day, Vilma Peery, Nellie Wiley, George Null, D. K. Kennedy, G. B. Holmes, Agie Johnson, Mamie Morris.

Domestic Science contest:

General manager—Miss Hetty Anthony.

Judges—Miss Grace Viall, Miss Hetty Anthony.

Committees consist of the students of the department of home economics.

Committee for Spelling contest:

Independence township—Nellie Hayworth, Eugene Bird, Eugenia Lawler.

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MAY GO TO SUPREME COURT.

The filing of the government's suit against the United States steel corporation and its subsidiary concerns was a bombshell to official Washington, and marks the beginning of President Taft's avowed policy of pushing cases this winter against all concerns now operating in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

Special agents of the department of justice have been gathering evidence to be used in the suit for dissolution during the past three years, and this evidence is supplemented by the findings of the Stanley committee of the house of representatives, which has been conducting an independent investigation.

Following as it does the "defi" of the steel trust officials under the lead of Pierpont Morgan a month or so ago when the rumor was first circulated, a long drawn out legal battle is expected. It may take from three to five years to push the case through the various courts until a final decree is rendered by the United States supreme court, to which tribunal it is the announced intention of both parties in the suit, to carry the case, irrespective of the decisions of the lower courts.

The most surprising information connected with the case was the fact that former Secretary of War Dickinson had prepared the brief. It had been stated officially at the department of justice that the investigation of the steel combine was in charge of Solicitor General Lehmann, and although it is a fact that he has done a great share of the work in the preparation of the case, Mr. Lehmann's name does not appear.

The significance of the omission is asserted in some quarters to be that the administration plans to put the solicitor general on the supreme court bench as a successor to the late Justice Harlan, and that under these circumstances his name is not drawn into the steel suit.

Mrs. B. A. Alkire went to Bolckow Monday evening to visit her daughter, Mrs. Eva Davis. She will also visit two other daughters, Mrs. Lowell Campbell and Mrs. Leonard Miller, before her return.

Campbell & Clark commenced work Tuesday morning on re-roofing the South Methodist church building. Clusters pressed standing seam shingles will be used, and nearly three tons of material will be required for the work.

**WHAT SAVED
HER LIFE**

**Mrs. Martin Tells About a Painful
Experience that Might Have
Ended Seriously.**

Rivesville, W. Va.—Mrs. Dora Martin, in a letter from Rivesville, writes: "For three years, I suffered with womanly troubles, and had pains in my back and side. I was nervous and could not sleep at night.

The doctor could not help me. He said I would have to be operated on before I could get better. I thought I would try using Cardui.

Now, I am entirely well.

I am sure Cardui saved my life. I will never be without Cardui in my home. I recommend it to my friends."

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It goes to the spot—reaches the trouble—relieves the symptoms, and drives away the cause.

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N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chatanooga Medicines Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. for Special Treatment for Women, sent in plain wrapper, on request.

**DEATH MYSTERIES
IN TWO CITIES**

New York and Chicago Puzzled Over
Alleged Suicides.

BOTH VICTIMS NEW YORK GIRLS

Young Medical Student Suspected
and Questioned—Hires Lawyer and Refuses to
Talk.

New York, Oct. 31.—The body of Miss Caroline Doctor, daughter of Simon Doctor, a millionaire, was discovered in the shrubbery of a lonely district on Fort Washington Heights. She was stretched at full length, her clothing was carefully arranged and one hand was under her head as if she had just fallen asleep.

A careful search of the shrubbery near the body did not reveal any sign of a struggle or evidence that would suggest suicide.

Relatives of Miss Doctor, who was 31 years old, said that she had been in a feverish state of mind since the death of her brother-in-law, Morris H. Hayman, who committed suicide in Newark, N. J., last April, after trouble over a forged note for \$40,000.

There was an unusually strong attachment, it is said, between Mr. Hayman and Miss Doctor. She would not be comforted after his death and as time passed her grief became more violent until she suffered a nervous breakdown. Her affliction over her brother-in-law caused her to waste away and more than a month ago she was sent to a sanitarium.

Chicago, Oct. 31.—Police began investigating many peculiar features which surrounded the death of Miss Ollie Cole, a beautiful girl of 23 years, who came to Chicago but a few months ago from a little country home near Norwich, N. Y.

Miss Cole died in a room which she occupied with Salvatore Monaco, a young medical student and son of Dr. Pasquale Monaco, a wealthy physician.

Monaco told the coroner the girl had died of gas asphyxiation. Then he hired a lawyer.

After the girl's body had been sent to the home of her mother, Mrs. Ervine Cole, near Norwich, N. Y. several witnesses declared that the window was open in the room where Miss Cole was supposed to have inhaled the deadly gas.

Monaco refuses to answer any questions concerning the girl's death or their prior relations. "See my lawyer," is the ever ready reply to all questions.

HIGH SCHOOL CLASS TESTS COWS

Results in Experiments in Chase
County Surprising to the
Farmers.

Cottonwood Falls, Kan., Oct. 31.—The Chase county high school agricultural class is making it easy for farmers and dairymen of this county to ascertain which of the milk cows in their herds are profitable and which are simply "boarders," by testing free of charge all samples of milk and cream which may be sent to the school. So far the tests have varied from 1.3 to 6.1 per cent butter fat and have shown the farmers some surprising results.

Not only will the agricultural class test all samples which may be brought in, but it will go to any schoolhouse or farm in the county and do the work upon the request of the farmers.

Missouri Mine Strike Settled.

Oskaloosa, Ia., Oct. 31.—An impending strike of coal miners in Missouri was averted at a conference of coal operators and officers of the United Mine Workers of North America, headed by John P. White. All differences between the Southwestern Coal Operators' association and the mine workers of Missouri, District No. 25, in regard to the Novinger, Mo., arbitration case were amicably settled.

Pulitzer's Death Leaves Two.

Springfield, Mo., Oct. 31.—With the death of Joseph Pulitzer there are now only two survivors of the Missouri constitutional convention which met in Jefferson City in 1875 and revised the constitution of the state. They are Judge C. B. McAfee of Springfield and Amos R. Taylor of St. Louis.

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Died on a Train.

St. Joseph, Mo., Oct. 31.—William B. Spencer, 35 years old, of Craig, Mo., died on a C. B. & Q. train while being brought to St. Joseph to enter a hospital. He was suffering with typhoid fever.

**TOBACCO TRUST
FIGHTS FOR LIFE**

Greatest Array of Legal Talent Since
Standard Oil Suit.

WICKERSHAM TO BE HEARD LAST

Lewis C. Ledyard Makes Plea for
"Sane and Reasonable" Plan—
Prominent Attorneys
Interested.

New York, Oct. 31.—Lewis Cass Ledyard opened the tobacco trust's second fight for life in the United States circuit court here. Representatives of all the interests affected by the proposed reorganization of the American Tobacco company were on hand at the federal building when court convened.

Judge LaCombe announced that counsel for the American Tobacco company would be heard first, then representatives of outside interests which are interested in reorganization of the company.

Attorney General Wickersham is to be heard in behalf of the government after all the others have been heard.

Mr. Ledyard started off with general argument in favor of a "sane and reasonable" plan of readjustment of the affairs of the trust. His words were followed closely by all in the room, especially by counsel for those factions which are fighting the plan of reorganization as filed by the corporation.

The array of legal talent before the federal court was the greatest gathering of lawyers since the Standard Oil company battled for life before the United States supreme court.

Counsel for the American Tobacco company were W. W. Fuller, general counsel, Alton B. Parker, Julius Parker, Delancey Nicoll, William W. Miller, William B. Hornblower and others.

Among those representing the security holders are former Justice Morgan J. O'Brien, Joseph H. Choate and Orlan H. Larkin.

Among the lawyers representing the outside interests are Eugene Clifford of Chicago, representing the International Cigar Makers' union; Adolph Kraus of Chicago, for the Retail Tobacco association, and the Chicago Cigar Leaf Board of Trade; John W. Yerkes for the Independent Tobacco Manufacturers' association; Henry H. Hunter for the Independent Retail Tobacco association and Felix Levy of the National Cigar Leaf Tobacco association.

Associated with Mr. Wickersham for the United States government are James C. McReynolds, who began the prosecution of the tobacco trust, and Edwin P. Grosvenor, special counsel for the government.

AN AMERICAN POPE POSSIBLE

New Appointments Suggest That
Way is Being Paved for
Change in Church.

Rome, Oct. 31.—Comment on the approaching consistory, when 17 cardinals, including three, and possibly four, from the United States will be created, continue to emphasize the great significance of Pope Pius' decision to grant immediately to America four representatives in the sacred College. By some it is asserted that the way is being paved for the advent of an American pope.

It is pointed out that the largest body of Catholics outside of Europe is to be found in the United States and its possessions. An Irish-American pope is suggested for the day when it shall be considered no longer necessary for the papacy to be held for the advent of an American pope.

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Left for Oklahoma.

Robert Saunders of Kingfisher, Okla., who has been the guest of his brother, James H. Saunders, and his niece, Mrs. G. L. Wilfley, for several days, left for his home Tuesday morning. He was accompanied as far as St. Joseph by Mrs. Wilfley, who spent the day in that city.

Returned From Illinois.

Mrs. J. M. Hughes returned Tuesday morning from a six weeks' visit at Payson and Blandinsville, Ill. She visited her son, Rev. J. R. Hughes, pastor of the Christian church at Blandinsville, and her sister at Bladinsville.

Mrs. J. W. Smith, living west of Maryville, and her sister, Mrs. S. J. Carver of Elmo, returned Tuesday morning from a few days' visit near Hopkins with their brother, C. F. Abney, and his family.

CATARRH OF STOMACH.

Indigestion and Stomach Agony Quick-
ly Ended.

If you went to thirty doctors and paid each his fee for a prescription for indigestion or stomach misery it is ten chances to one you wouldn't get such a good prescription as the one from which Mi-o-na stomach tablets are made.

How can such a thing be? you naturally ask.

Simply because the man who wrote the prescription from which Mi-o-na tablets are made knows more about stomach diseases than 96 per cent of all the physicians in America, and he has paid for knowing.

And when you can get a large box of tablets made from this doctor's prescription for only 50 cents, are you going to continue to suffer? Sold by the Oscar-Henry Drug Co. and druggists everywhere.

Marriages Are Void.

Oklahoma City, Ok., Oct. 31.—Marriages licenses of which there were about 100 issued in Swanson county since the court declared the county defunct, are now all found to be void. Many of the newlyweds are obtaining new licenses from the other counties.

**EVERYBODY ATTENDING THE
Domestic Science and Corn Contest**

Thursday, Friday and Saturday,
November 2d, 3d and 4th

Will find a hearty welcome here, and you are requested to make our store your headquarters while in the city, and the ladies are cordially asked to take advantage of our thoroughly equipped rest room where you will find every convenience for your comfort.

We are going to make prices TALK during these three days. Here are a few items just merely as a sample. Come in and see and be convinced:

Notions, Etc.

Hair Nets, plain or elastic, sale
price, 6 for

**Stationery and
School Supplies**

1/2 dozen 2-oz bottles Sanford's Ink,
sale price

Iridescent Ware, per piece, sale
price

Regular 5c Drinking Glasses, sale
price, 6 for

25c

Horseshoe Hand Glasses, sale
price, 6 for

15c

Toilet Plus, sale price, 6 for

25c

Perfume, all flavors, sale price, per
box

8c

Good Toilet Soap, sale price, 6
for

25c

1 dozen extra good Lead Pencils,
sale price

25c

Extra fine Toilet Soap, sale price,
3 for

25c

Laundry Soap, Cracker Jack, sale
price, 12 bars

25c

Liquid Shoe Polish, sale price

9c

Paste for Shoes, sale price, 3 for 25c

25c

We carry a large and complete
line of Notions.

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Iridescent Ware, per piece, sale
price

8c

Regular 5c Drinking Glasses, sale
price, 6 for

25c

Horseshoe Hand Glasses, sale
price, 6 for

15c

7-piece Water Set, sale price

1.25

7-piece Water Set, sale price

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1-quart Glass Pitcher, sale price

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A Sale of Odd Lots of Wall Paper

We are closing out all odd lots and short lots of wall paper, left from the season's selling, at decided reductions. The assortment includes nearly every variety and quality we carry in stock.

The prices are much lower than usual.
(Basement)

New Wall Paper Just Received

We are fortunate in securing an early showing of wall paper in 1912 patterns. They have just arrived from the mills and are now on display in the basement.

The designs are new and are worked up in very harmonious colorings. Priced from

5c to 15c roll.

Attended Uncle's Funeral.

Mrs. E. J. Garrett of St. Joseph came to Maryville Sunday night to attend the funeral services of her late uncle, John McFadden, held Monday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Woodard.

FRESH OYSTERS

Direct from the coast. They are large enough to fry, and don't you know a New York Oyster is lighter in color and a finer flavor than Baltimore stock. They come to us in five-gallon cans SEALED. No lee ever put in the Oysters. Compare our Oysters with others and you can see the difference. We sell the solid meat. NO WATER. A trial will convince you we are right on the Oyster question.

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CIDER MILL
Run every day except Monday and Thursday.
Apples Wanted.

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A STEADY purpose in this life is one of the best aids to success. If that purpose be the resolve to save money your success will be sure and satisfactory.

A young man should anchor himself to a bank account as the first step to success. As his account grows so will his confidence in himself to make good.

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CAPITAL SURPLUS \$100,000.00
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FEDERAL CONTROL OF THE RAILROADS

Supreme Court Decision Favors Commerce Commission.

COMMISSIONERS ARE JUBILANT

Conflict of Authority Between State and Federal Officers Eliminated—Decision is Far Reaching and Important.

Washington, Oct. 31.—Complete control of all the railroads of the country by the interstate commerce commission, and virtual elimination of the state commissions from such control, is foreshadowed in an opinion handed down by the supreme court of the United States. The court held that hereafter all locomotives, cars or other equipment used on any railroad which is a highway of interstate commerce, must comply with the federal safety appliance act.

In its opinion the court held that compliance with federal law is compulsory on all railroads which are engaged in the transportation of persons or freight from one state to another. Elaborating this, however, it held that the cars or equipment of such roads, even if engaged in such transportation within the confines of a state, must be considered as part and parcel of the road and therefore, completely under the jurisdiction of the federal commission.

Members of the interstate commerce commission, who have been embarrassed on numerous occasions by clashes of authority with state commissions, are jubilant at the ruling of the supreme court which was unanimous.

The decision of the court generally is regarded as of far reaching significance and importance. It will enable the commission hereafter to enforce, practically without question, its orders based upon that law.

Those who casually examined the opinion were divided as to its bearing on the litigation as to whether a state may regulate freight and passenger rates on interstate traffic when such regulation interferes, or might interfere, with interstate commerce. The supreme court is to consider the question next January when it hears the so-called Minnesota and Kentucky rate cases. It is the best judgment of those conversant with the situation, however, that this decision has little, if any, bearing upon the rate cases.

More or less friction has arisen between the interstate commerce commissions, which has rendered it embarrassing to the federal body in its work of interstate regulation.

"Let the Nation Buy Trusts."
Milwaukee, Oct. 31.—Congressman Victor L. Berger will introduce a bill in the next session of congress to repeal the Sherman anti-trust act. He would substitute a law providing that wherever a pool, a combine or a trust controls more than 60 per cent of the total output in any industry, the government shall take the concern over, pay the actual value in bonds and manage the business for the benefit of all the people.

A Tribute to Carry Nation.
Milwaukee, Oct. 31.—Every woman attending the National W. C. T. U. convention bowed her head in respect to the memory of Carry Nation when the name of the famous saloon smasher was read at the memorial service incident to the convention. Sixteen memorial subscriptions of \$25 each were added to the organization fund to perpetuate the work of Miss Frances E. Willard.

Girls Shine Shoes for Piano.
Princeton, Mo., Oct. 31.—Miss Myrtle Fair, a student of the Princeton high school, made \$17 shining shoes on the streets here. Misses Gay Wilson and Coral Matsler made nearly as much at the same occupation. They were trying to make enough money to buy a piano for the school. The eighty students made almost \$200 by the day's work.

Shot Deserting Husband.
Davenport, Ia., Oct. 31.—Frank Kilduff was shot and killed by his wife here. Mrs. Kilduff, whose husband is said to have deserted her, went to his place of business and asked him if he intended to support their child. He answered in the negative, whereupon she drew a revolver and shot him. She walked to the police station and gave herself up.

Georgia Peaches in Bloom.
Americus, Ga., Oct. 31.—Thousands of peach trees in this section are in bloom and a failure of next year's peach crop is feared. The warm weather of last week has made the whole landscape look like a gigantic flower garden.

A Wichita Kafir Corn Show.
Wichita, Kan., Oct. 31.—Encouraged by the success of the Kafir corn carnival which was held in Eldorado recently, the Wichita Stock Yards company has determined to get in line and hold a like exhibition at the stock yards next fall.

MISSOURI INTO OREGON CASE

INVOLVES THE INITIATIVE AND REFERENDUM LAW.

Attorney General Allowed to File Brief in Federal Court Because of Similarity of Statutes.

Washington, Oct. 31.—Attorney General Major of Missouri took a hand in the case before the United States supreme court involving the constitutionality of the initiative and referendum law of the state of Oregon. Mr. Major filed a brief in behalf of the state of Missouri, being permitted to do so because Missouri has a law identical with Oregon's.

The case in which appeal was taken is that of the Pacific State Telegraph and Telephone company. The supreme court of Oregon upheld the statute enacted by referendum, which assesses an annual tax of 2 per cent of the gross receipts against the telegraph and telephone company.

The appeal rests mainly on the argument that a system involving the initiative and referendum is not a representative system of government. A decision by the supreme court affirming the position of the telegraph and telephone company would knock out "popular government" wherever its measures have been adopted in the United States.

It is contended in the Missouri official's brief that congress alone determines what government is the established government in a state, and that congress alone may say whether that government is republican in form. Also that whether the state statute violates the state constitution is not a federal question.

MANY HOGS DYING OF CHOLERA

Kansas, Missouri and Iowa Animals Principal Victims—Serum Output Increased.

Columbia, Mo., Oct. 31.—Hog cholera has never been as prevalent in the Middle West, particularly Kansas, Missouri and Iowa, as it is now, according to Dean F. B. Mumford of the Missouri college of agriculture. The college of agriculture has men out in every part of the state inoculating hogs and is sending out serum at the rate of 20,000 doses a month.

The facilities for making the serum have been increased since the epidemic started, but is impossible to supply the demand. In most cases the farmers use the serum themselves, and where they were unacquainted with its use a farmer comes to the college and receives instruction from the experts here. When he returns home he not only inoculates his own hogs but also those of his neighbors.

STUDENTS START NEW MAGAZINE

All Members of Staff Students in School of Journalism at M. S. U.

Columbia, Mo., Oct. 31.—Varsity Life is the name of the new publication, which will be issued from the University of Missouri monthly. The purpose, according to the first issue, is "to bring attention of the students to the various phases of college life that have a funny side to them, and, as there is very little that ever happens that hasn't a funny side, our field is practically unlimited."

With one exception all the members of the staff are students in the school of journalism. The publication is similar in character to the humorous magazines of Eastern schools. The cartoons are by Robt. A. Ball of Kansas City.

Millionaire Tramp Arrested.
Troy, Mo., Oct. 31.—J. Eads Howe, the millionaire hobo-philanthropist, was detained here by Postoffice Inspector J. D. Sullivan of St. Louis. Howe had attempted to sell stamps to two hotel keepers, the jailer and several merchants, all of whom notified Sullivan to watch for him. Inspector Sullivan questioned Howe. He produced letters of identification and \$125 worth of stamps. Howe, who is head of the Brotherhood Welfare association, is touring Missouri, obtaining signatures to a petition to be presented to Gov. Hadley asking that the unemployed be put to work on public improvements this winter.

Prohibition Candidate Speaks.
Olathe, Kan., Oct. 31.—Dr. N. F. King of Ottawa, candidate on the prohibition ticket for representative of the Second Kansas district, spoke here and at Springhill. Dr. King was accompanied by E. W. Chapin and John P. St. John, both of whom have been candidates for president on the prohibition party platform.

College Girl Killed.
Cameron, Mo., Oct. 31.—While on her way to attend an Epworth league meeting, Miss Nora Ellen Dodge of Darlington, Mo., was struck by a Burlington freight train here and almost instantly killed. Her companion Miss Irene Sheldon, was seriously hurt.

Catskill Forests Burning.
Catskill, N. Y., Oct. 31.—The woods on the mountain side near here, where legend says, Rip Van Winkle took his 20-year nap, are ablaze. Many acres have been burned over.

MILD, GENTLE LAXATIVE FOR WOMEN GIVEN FREE

So many of the ills of women are due to habitual constipation, probably because of their false modesty on the subject, that their attention cannot be too strongly called to the importance of keeping the bowels open. It is always important to do that, regardless of the sex, but it is especially important in woman.

Mrs. Katherine Haberstroh of McKeen Rocks, Pa., and Mrs. A. E. Herrick of Wheeler, Mich., who was almost paralyzed in her stomach and bowels, are now cured by the use of this remedy. A free sample bottle can be obtained by addressing Dr. Caldwell, and after you are convinced of its merits buy it of your druggist at fifty cents and one dollar a bottle.

For the free sample address Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 541 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.

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Give out more heat than any heater on the market. Our stock ranges in price from \$4.50 to \$7.00. We are exclusive dealers in Maryville and fully guarantee every stove.

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I will sell at the Tate farm, six miles southeast of Maryville and 1 mile east of Mt. Ayr church, on

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The following property: 3 HORSES, good workers, from 7 to 9 years old. 10 HEAD OF CATTLE—4 extra good milk cows, to freshen in the spring; 2 yearling heifers, 4 spring calves. 800 bushels of corn, 9 acres of cane hay in the shock, 120 acres of stalk fields. IMPLEMENTS, ETC.—Wagon (nearly new), plow, harrow, cultivator, lister and drill, road wagon, mower, rake, in fact a general line of farming implements, in fine condition. Some household and kitchen furniture.

TERMS—\$10 and under cash; cover that amount a credit of 6 months' time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

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(Continued from last Saturday.)

SYNOPSIS

Anna Granger, devoted mother of two small children, discovers that her husband is a weak character and that he has lied to her about a woman.

Posing as Miss Dale, she becomes stenographer to Burton Temple, through whose evidence her husband has been imprisoned. She thinks Temple is the guilty man and is acting the spy to clear her husband's name for his sake and that of his children.

Anna discovers that Temple was one of her girlhood's ideals. Thinking her a single woman, he tells her her husband was a liar and perjurer.

Temple has detectives on the trail of Brady, an accomplice of Granger, looking for evidence. Anna is searching for evidence against Temple, who becomes interested in her.

Despite herself, Anna becomes fond of Temple, although determined to convict him for the honor of her boys. Temple's detectives discover Rose Fanchon, the woman for whom Granger was a thief.

CHAPTER VI.

DUTY AND DESIRE.

ANNA GRANGER, I'm ashamed of you, ashamed! I could tell you what the trouble is. Oh, it's a degenerate age! Duty and desire messed up till you don't know which is which. You can shuffle them to suit your conscience—if by reason of a few decent ancestors a person happens to have a conscience! Don't you think I've seen this thing coming, Anna? Don't you think I've been deplored the situation, doing my best to straighten it out? Why have I been harping on the children, the children, the children? Because I saw they were the only stronghold you had left to fall back upon; because I saw you were already forgetting your poor martyr husband. Oh, I've seen this man's eyes following you with the look that can only mean one thing! I've seen!"

"Mrs. Mason, it isn't true, it isn't true!" Anna recoiled in horror. "Is it kind, is it bearable that you should say such things to me? I have not deserved them. No, no, I have not! What right have you? I can't protect myself, I can't escape you. But—" Her voice shook. There was in it a passion of anger, pain, isolation and yet something else, the note of something newborn and transforming.

"What right?" repeated Mrs. Mason in sharp tones of astonishment. "The right of duty, the right of one honest woman speaking to another whom she wishes to keep honest."

The stern old Puritan housekeeper had made Robert Granger stand for a leading principle. She was a woman of little individuality, quite far away from her own generation. For the most part she acted on cut and dried principles; even her impulses were automatic impulses, dating back to her foremothers. She had been brought up with the view that all behavior was right or wrong, correct or incorrect, as if it were not much else beside these, as if between black and white there were not many colors, all the colors of the spectrum, in fact.

And so to the bowed young woman before her she continued on right living and sure results, plain, one-sided duty. Anna was vaguely conscious that Sir Oracle was still in among the living. She heard no particular word, just the patterning murmur of word upon word ponderously delivered.

"A letter for you, sir, brought by messenger," said the butler, presenting an envelope to Burton Temple.

"From the detective bureau," commented he, tearing it open. And Cra-

ven has spent large sums of money, dating from time party is supposed to have received funds. Her name is Rose Fanchon. Party spent a good deal of money on her, but large part invested in New York Central. Securities held in party's own name, but the dividend order makes the dividend payable to the woman. Are preparing other evidence and expect to have something of greater importance soon. Hoping our work has been satisfactory and that we shall speedily be in a position to give you everything you desire, very truly, etc."

"You know," commented Craven, rubbing his lean jaw with appreciation.

"I'm beginning to like that fellow Granger. Slick pup—\$80,000 in New York Central and the dividend only to Rose! Kept a big stout rope on his benefaction, didn't he?"

"Looks good, eh?" said Temple cheerfully, tapping the letter.

"Looks good, yes, but you've got to have something that does more than look good, old man. You've got to have a knockout piece of evidence. Brady's going to go on the stand and perjure himself; see if he doesn't."

"He'd perjure somebody else if he could invent the crime," agreed Temple bitterly.

A bitter mood, however, could never endure long with Burton Temple. The boy in him would never be downed. He crossed to his pipe rack, extracted his favorite meerschaum and was soon leaning back luxuriously in his chair while Craven scratched away with his goose quill.

"You know, Craven," he said, "there's no use crossing a bridge till you come to it, and, somehow, I think my luck's beginning to turn. I've an odd idea that my new secretary is responsible. She infuses me with that indomitable quality called 'hope'!"

"She's a capable woman," agreed Craven grudgingly. "You'll miss her common sense and sane, businesslike ways when Miss Graham returns."

"Eh?" asked Temple, coming back from his space staring with a start. Then he laughed infectiously. "Oh, yes, I shall miss her common sense and businesslike ways"—puff, puff, puff, from his pipe. "Never married, did you, Craven?"

"Still same, thanks," contemptuous-ly, while the goose quill ran a race with the pipe puffs and outdistanced them.

"Pair of old fools, you and I"—puff, puff. "You know, Craven, that girl has a delicious voice. If she sang it would be a mezzo."

Craven looked up over his glasses in disgust. "What in thunder are you driving at?" he cried.

"Driving at?" laughed Temple. "I hope I'm driving at happiness. Craven, there's one thing I'll tell you straight. If this case turns out right and my honor's vindicated I'm going to marry, provided, of course, she will have me," he added tenderly.

Some few weeks earlier the grim lawyer would have stared, eyes and mouth wide open, at such an announcement. Some few weeks earlier he would have scoffed at the notion of such a thing coming to pass, and he would have demonstrated, reasonably enough, that it was impossible for Burton Temple, with his keen knowledge of the world, of the innumerable vanities and whims of mankind, ever to go the way of all flesh.

But the problem, like the puzzle of the Eleatic philosophers, had solved itself. "Achilles cannot catch the tortoise," but he does. It was impossible for Burton Temple to fall in love, but he had. So Craven only shook his head sadly and commiseratingly.

"Are you ready to dictate your letters, Mr. Temple?" Poising lightly near the threshold, a delicate uplift of her lovely brows, the lady of his vision waited. Craven frowned. Temple smiled. Craven left the room, and Temple rose.

"Letters," said he. "Oh, no, thank fortune, there are no pressing letters to dictate this afternoon; we can put them off till tomorrow."

"No?" said Anna quizzically. She bowed slightly and was retreating when Temple said in that humble, mesmeric way of his:

"I never knew before, Miss Dale, that you sang. I heard you in the music room a little while ago. How it would please my mother!"

It had been merely a simple little lullaby, full of pretty sarsenet chidings to a wakeful child, a favorite lullaby of her children. At the moment when she sang it she had felt the need of it somehow.

"Oh, I've no drawing room accomplishments," laughed she. "I had no early training. At home I used to mend the house linen and tie down the Jeilles." She caught her under coral lip with bewitching sedateness.

"Your little song gave me very real pleasure nevertheless," said he, smiling. "It had a bit of removed content about it, such as might have belonged to the enchanted palaces we were speaking about the other day. Remember? Sit down, won't you, and talk to me a little? I'm lonely."

Instead of sitting down Anna reached out her hands seductively to Cato, who came and pushed his big, honest nose confidingly into them.

"I dare say," smiled she apologetically, "those enchanted castles of ours were rather vague things wrapped in a good deal of roseate haze and of an architecture that could scarcely have been reduced to ground plans and elevations. This is a very practical age, you know, Mr. Temple."

"I know," said he, watching her with grave eyes. "Still, I'd like to hear a little about—about the prince of your enchanted palace. We hadn't got to that, you see. What must your ideal man be like, Miss Dale? Do sit down!"

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"My ideal man!" echoed Anna, with never so faint a touch of surprise. Then, yielding to a mood of recklessness, she sank into a low ottoman and looked straight out before her. "Well, he must be like a buoy at sea, firmly anchored to the bottom, but taking the surface as he finds; swaying with waves, not braced against them and only seeming to drift. You understand? Never floating with the current, anchored. How's that?" she answered, with a fleeting dimple.

"That's good," he said, earnestly, watching the slim, firm hands clasped round the woman's knees.

"And the princess of your enchanted palace, Mr. Temple? What must your ideal princess be?" Still she looked out dreamily before her.

"I think," said he slowly, "your definition of the prince would fit in with mine of the princess. A little lighter dancing on the surface, perhaps, a little less anchor rope, but pretty much the same."

"I thank you for my sex," she murmured softly, with lovely, melting eyes. "There does seem to be a good deal of the vixen about us often," she went on, "but one thing is sure, the man who calls for the ideal in a woman may be disappointed; but, at least, he'll get more than had been in her before. His calling for the ideal will create it. The woman will try to become what he thinks she is."

"Precisely," nodded Temple, "and I suppose that is why so many marriages fail—the man doesn't call for the best?"

"His business takes him in hand, that's all," commented Anna lightly. "It's the old truism about man and woman, I daresay. Her heart is a home, and his but an inn." They come that way into the world, you know—the women, with the husband already in their hearts. Sometimes, in appearance, they are unfaithful to him, marrying some one else, but—

"I think it's like that with some men, too," said he, seeing that her sentence had trailed off vaguely into silence. "There are some men who will wed only the prototype in their heart with which they were born. There are some of us who wait and wait until she comes."

He was looking down at her with that pathetically patient smile that always demoralized her. His voice, with the wonderful music in it, was upon her. She shivered and with a deliberate effort leaned forward so that she might catch a glimpse of the prison walls across the river.

"We shall know her when we meet her, don't you think?" the low, mesmeric voice went on. He had risen now and come close to the ottoman.

"Her?" She pretended to be mechanically following his words, her eyes still fixed resolutely upon the prison walls, the blood within her surging hotly. "Oh, the ideal princess? Why, yes, Mr. Temple, if she ever comes your way I hope you'll know her. But just think what a pedestal you've raised for her to stand upon!"

The strident little laugh, almost hysterical, jarred Temple's mood horribly. In patient amazement he lifted up his eyes. He crossed to his desk and, getting a pencil, began to sharpen it.

"It was only in a general way that I established the princess' qualities," he continued, with assumed lightness. "So it isn't fair of you to poke such fun at my standard, Miss Dale. Besides, your standard for the prince was just as high, wasn't it?"

"Maybe it was. But I don't believe in the prince any more; there's the difference, you see. He must have, oh, all sorts of impossible things."

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regret it, never in God's world."

The last sentence was spoken quickly, passionately, the man's ordinarily calm voice quavering, never below the breaking point, dangerously near the edge of it at the close.

The wild jangling of the telephone bell broke the tension of their strained emotion. Anna, being nearest, took up the receiver.

"This is Esterbrook & Esterbrook," came an excited voice from the other end. "Get Mr. Temple to the phone at once without delay."

"Your attorneys," said Anna, handing the receiver.

"Yes, it's I—Temple. What—indict-ed? You say I'm indicted?" He was trembling like an aspen leaf.

Rooted to the spot as in a dream the woman heard the agitated talk at Temple's end of the wire. She heard the particulars as he gathered them.

The grand jury, it appeared, had just returned an indictment against him for complicity in the matter of the wrecking of the Gotham Trust company and the overcertification of the check for \$700,000 drawn by Cornelius Brady. A warrant had been issued for his arrest. She heard him arranging with Esterbrook over the phone for bail.

Ball! That word brought her to her senses. That word broke the spell. He, the big financier, would get bail. He would not know a prisoner's cell. He wouldn't even have to go to court until the time came to face his charge, and then—money again, and more, more money!

(To be continued next Saturday.)

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